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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Attorney Docket: J-OAER.1021

Confirmation No: 5193

Michael R. Dennis

August 11, 2005

Serial No.: 10/757,880

Group #: 3644

Filed: January 14, 2004

Examiner: Stephen A. Holzen

For: Electrical Generator Fluid-Flow-Coolant Filtration

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450\

Sir:

**ELECTION
REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME IN WHICH TO RESPOND**

Responsive to the Election/Restriction Requirement, dated July 7, 2005,

Applicant(s) elect(s) to prosecute claims 1-5 and 11, directed towards the invention identified as Species I, by the Examiner in the Office Action, without traverse.

Applicant does not agree with the Examiner's position about restriction, particularly in view of the fact that, in a prior Office Action, the Examiner examined all of the claims on the merits, however, applicant nonetheless elects herein, without traverse, to continue the prosecution of this case in the context of elected claims 1-5, inclusive and 11.

Favorable action and early allowance of all of the elected claims are respectfully solicited. If the Examiner has any questions regarding the amendment or remarks, the Examiner is invited to contact Attorney-of-Record Jon M. Dickinson, Esq., at 503-504-2271.

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Applicants hereby request an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 to respond in the first month following the shortened statutory time of one month. A PTO Form 2038 Credit Card authorization in the amount of \$60.00 is enclosed to pay the requisite extension fee. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any over-payment to Account No. 22-0258.

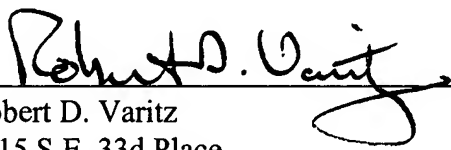
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